

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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# PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Applicants hereby respectfully petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time to respond to the Office Action (Paper No./Mail Date 20080629) dated July 9, 2008 for a period of two (2) months from October 9, 2008 to and including December 9, 2008.

Attached hereto is a responsive amendment and our check payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks in the amount of \$490.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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